

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
BUREAU OF FISHERIES  
WASHINGTON

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO  
COMMISSIONER OF FISHERIES  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

February 18, 1919.

Memorandum for Mr. Bower:

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Statistical reports of fishery operations in Alaska in 1918 are due from the J. H. Long Packing Co. and the Alaska Packing & Navigation Co. in southeastern Alaska. Tabulations for that district will then be complete except that the Sitka Packing Co. and the Sanborn Cutting Co have not reported the cost of operations at their canneries although requested to do so some time ago, and further, except for certain information which is needed from the Alaska Packers Association to complete its reports. Rept  
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The tabulation for the central district is incomplete for the reason that the Lighthouse Canning Co. has not reported at all, the Columbia River Packers Association has not reported the cost of operations at Chignik, and the Alaska Packers Association has not furnished miscellaneous data to complete its reports.

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Tabulations for the western district cannot be completed until the Alaska Portland Packers Association, the Alaska Salmon Co., and the Columbia River Packers Association report the cost of operations at their canneries. All reports of the Alaska Packers Association are incomplete, and Libby McNeill & Libby has not yet replied to our letter concerning the value of 33 cases of king salmon which the company reported as being \$3,102.

Is there any likelihood that the desired information from the Alaska Packers Association will be obtained?

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*Northern Fishers, Inc.*